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Date: February 6, 2002

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PATENT
Docket No. GC634-2

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of)
Bron et al.) Group Art Unit: 1653
Serial No.: 09/954,737) Examiner: Unassigned
Filed: September 17, 2001)
For: Twin-Arginine Translocation in)
Bacillus)

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Box Missing Parts
Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

The following extension of time is requested to respond to the Notice to File
Missing Parts dated October 15, 2001:

one month to _____; the extension fee is \$110.00.

two months to February 15, 2002; the extension fee is \$400.00.

three months to _____; the extension fee is \$920.00.

four months to _____; the extension fee is \$1,440.00.

five months to _____; the extension fee is \$1,960.00.

The extended time for response does not exceed the statutory period.

[] The shortened statutory period has been reset by an Advisory Action
dated _____.

[X] Charge \$400.00 to Deposit Account No. 07-1048.

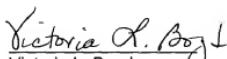
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-1048 (Docket No. GC634-2). A duplicate of this paper is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: Feb. 6, 2002


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